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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This preliminary amendment responds to the Final Office Action mailed November 23, 2001, and to the Advisory Action mailed March 18, 2002. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please rewrite the claims as shown.

Applicant presents the claims as amended below and encloses a separate sheet indicating the amendments to the claims with bracketing and underlining.

(Amended) An unshielded data cable comprising: a plurality of twisted pairs of conductors;

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